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From the Californian, March 15, 1848:
The Liberty of the Press consists in the right to publish the Truth, with good motives and for justifiable ends. —Alexander Hamilton.

Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

It is a small world. Now please forgive the writer of this column if he brings a personal incident to bear on the truth of this old saying so often uttered and proved. In any event it will undoubtedly be a welcome vacation from the Cassandra voice so often raised here concerning the ambitions of demagogues and governmental trends.

Some weeks ago we inaugurated in the Nugget a campaign to raise funds for Finnish relief. We did this, along with thousands of other newspapers of the country at the request of Herbert Hoover. The Nugget has thus far forwarded a total of $33 to the fund headquarters at 420 Lexington Avenue, New York. This earned a place on the roster of contributors to Finnish relief for the Nugget, its editor, and the donors of money.

Last fall Guerdon Leete, son of the editor went to New York. He found employment in the advertising and public relations firm, Selvage & Smith, and, as it turns out Mr. Hoover and the Finnish Relief Fund are clients of that firm.

Running through the mailing list of the Relief Fund early this week Guerdon came on the name of his father and the Nugget. On the back of the announcement concerning the sale of up-to-date maps of Finland and adjacent countries to aid the Finns, (the story of which appears on this page) he wrote a note to his dad in Nevada City. And, again we find the world is not only small but growing smaller.

Speaking of the Finns, we note at this writing, that the Russian horde is still outside Viborg, second largest city in Finland, and one of the chief fortifications in the Mannerheim line. They are still outside, looking in, and every look is costing them thousands of lives and uncounted rubles in munitions and war equipment. It was on February 22 it will be recalled, that the Russians were going to take Viborg in celebration of the founding anniversary of the Red Army. It has been more than two weeks since that declaration and while the Russians are now on the outskirts of the city, they must yet sacrifice some thousands of soldiers to invest the city.

Americans have been under some misapprehension concerning the Finn-Russian war. We had supposed that with the coming of spring the Russians would have it all their own way. We now learn that in the springtime when the snow melts the whole country becomes a bog, that is, that part of the country that is not already under water in the 70,000 lakes that cover nearly a third of southern Finland's area. And realizing that bogs will practically put an end to mechanized warfare, the Russians are making a desperate effort, now, while lakes and the ground is frozen, to smash Finnish resistance and overrun the land.

News dispatches indicate that help for the Finns is increasing at a fairly rapid rate. The Swedes aroused by the bombing of Pajala, are volunteering in large numbers and while the statesmen of Sweden are telling the world how neutral they are, Swedish youth is flocking across the border to reinforce Finnish man power. Accounts of Finnish aerial exploits occupy more and more space in news dispatches. The Finns are giving a better account of themselves in the air, which means that planes and bombs are becoming available. Russian concentrations of troops and supplies, and Russian communications are being systematically bombed these days, which must indeed be very annoying to Mr. Stalin, whose reply is bombing raids on Finnish hospitals and villages. On Wednesday, forty or more women and children were killed in a bomb shelter. From Italy, Hungary, France, England and Canada, as well as from the Scandinavian countries, volunteers are flowing into Finland, and money and munitions are at length beginning to be available to the stout hearted patriots of Finland.

It is too early to make any predictions, of course. But at the moment Finland's star is in the ascendant. Should Germany give them a pretext, we suspect that the Allies and the Turks are ready to

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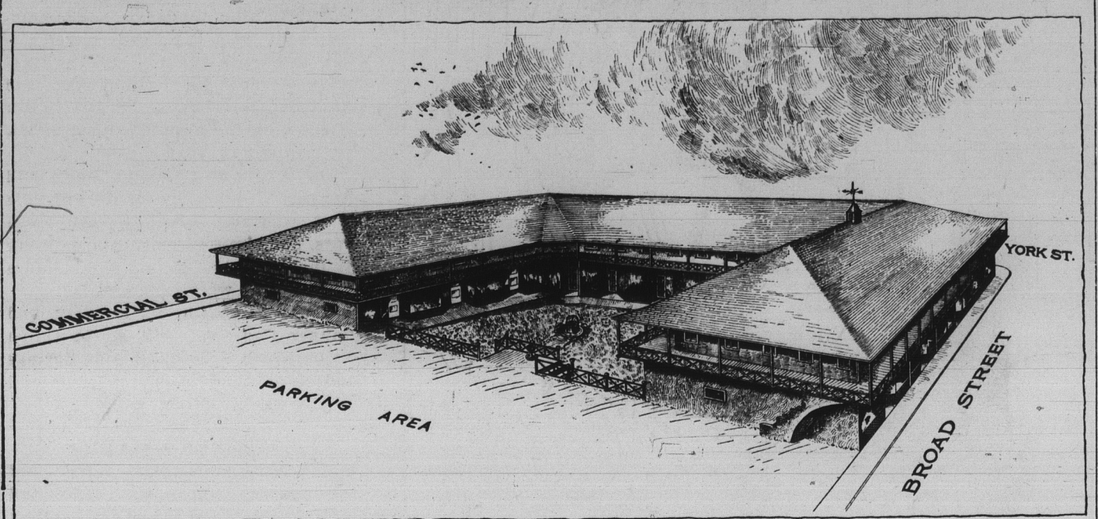
New Ultra-Modern Building Planned



The architects sketch above is an illustration of of one of the two buildings that comprise the shopping and office center conceived and planned by A. E. "Gus" Presley of Nevada City. The buildings, to be completed by August 1, 1940, will cost, according to Presley, $105,000.

Successful Enterprises Of Local Chamber Are Revealed By Secretary

The annual report of the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce compiled and submitted by H. F. Sofge, secretary, this week reveals that the chamber not only promoted many successful civic enterprises, but managed to erase a treasury deficit of $149.23 and end the year with a bank balance of $160.76.

Among the achievements of the chamber listed in the report by Sofge were the construction of the ski course on Highway 20 and the improvement of the Nevada City-Downieville highway. The ski course, known as the Nevada City Ski Course at Omega Hill was constructed at a cost of $3,000 by the forest service with materials furnished by the chambre. As evidence of its worth, more than 1,000 skiiers used it in one day.

$90,000 FOR ROAD

After considerable effort on the part of the civic group, members of the California Highway Commission, Einer Neilsen and Amerigo Bozzani came to this city and were escorted to Downieville by President Emmett Gallagher, Secretary Sofge and Carl Starkey. The result of the trip was the allocation of $90,000 to be used in eliminating the dangerous curves on the road.

Sofge also cited the more extensive use of holiday decoration used in the city during the Christmas season. With the cooperation of the city council, the chamber arranged for $228 worth of additional lights to be installed.

The secretary stressed the need for ample advertising to impress on outsiders the advantages of Nevada City to tourists and vacationists. He said. "During the past year the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce has sponsored several projects that will undoubtedly be the means of attracting tourists and vacationists to this city. While this is primarily a mining country and always will be, we have an historical background that, coupled with our recreational facilities, will draw thousands of visitors here if properly advertised. "

ROARING CAMP PROGRAM

Among the means used last year to draw visitors here was the trip of 22 amateur performers to the Roaring Camp at Sacramento for an hour's program. The result was so satisfactory that the program was broadcast over KFRC, which was instrumental in bringing many visitors to this area.

The large historical maps of this community printed at the behest of the chamber have been sent out all over the state and even to foreign countries, the secretary pointed out. Of the 2,000 printed on bond paper, only 100 are left.

During the year over 2,000 pamphlets and letters have been sent out in answer to inquiries regarding our city and adjacent territory. These inquiries continue to come in at the rate of two or more a day. In all cases the desired information is sent, if possible. When questions regarding the mining industry are asked the information is checked before being sent out.

TWO DANCES SPONSORED

The dances sponsored each year by the chamber have been high spots in the social life of this community, as well as being the principal source of income for the chambers' activities. Last year a new yearly entertainment feature was inaugurated—the barbecue at Skillman Flat. The huge barbecue pit was built by the

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WPA ALLOTS TO N. I. D. $213,859 FOR RESERVOIRS

A telegram from Congressman Harry L E.nglebright brings good news for the Nevada Irrigation district and all those who will benefit by the allotment for new reservoirs. The telegram follows:

"I am glad to tell you that the Works Progress Administration has approved an application of the Necada Irrigation district and made allocation of $213,859 for the construction of reservoirs and for other purposes in Nevada and Placer counties. I am glad to have been able to be of assistance in this matter.

LUTHER MARSH CANDIDATE FOR CITY COUNCIL

Luther Marsh, grandson of M. L. Marsh, who came to Nevada City in 1852 and established the first sawmill here, yesterday announced his candidacy for the city council. Marsh for many years has been a faithful member of the Nevada City fire department, is past commander of the American Legion's local post, and has always taken a deep interest in civic affairs. He has been foreman of the Nevada County Lumber yard on top of Boulder street for several years. In fact since his graduation from the local schools, he, like that his father and grandfather has been associated with the lumber business.

He was persuaded by his host of friends and by his neighbors on Prospect Hill to make the race for the city council. His long unselfish service in the fire department, his unshakable integrity, his intimate acquaintance with the many problems which confront the city government, his friends state, make him an outstanding candidate for the city council.

NEVADA CITY MAPS ALMOST SOLD OUT

The maps of Nevada City are proving quite popular and H. F. Sofge, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce stated that he has about 100 left of the 2,000 that were printed. One map was sent to Scotland and many have been sent throughout the United States. California has been pretty well covered by local citizens sending marked maps of their homes to relatives and friends. Often tourists passing through the city stop and secure a map for reference.

The bridge at the LeCompton mine on Deer Creek was washed out in the recent heavy storm. It was a low sturdy bridge over Deer Creek on the road to the property.

SALE OF FINLAND MAPS TO RAISE FUNDS FOR FINNS

NEW YORK, March 7.—(Special) —Sale of beautiful, large-scale maps of Finland, as a novel method of raising money for the Finnish Relief Fund, on a national scale, was announced today by Herbert Hoover, national chairman of the Fund.

The map was especially prepared for the Finnish Relief Fund by Otto G. Lindberg, himself a native of Finland, and one of the leading mapmakers of this country. The entire cost of the map has been donated by firms which supplied the workmanship and material for its preparation.

The map is now on sale at a cost of fifty cents by Finnish Relief Fund committees in all the states. They in turn will rely in disposing of the map upon local committees, fraternal organizations, department stores, schools and individuals interested in the cause of Finland.

There seems little doubt that the map will be in great demand for the reason that public interest in the Finnish-Russian hostilities has created a great demand for maps of Finland with the result that in many parts of the country stocks have been depleted or exhausted.

The new map is a model of workmanship, and is beautifully lithographed in four colors on exceptionally heavy paper, adding to its durability and usefulness. It is the largest scale map of Finland ever published in this country and is the only map of Finland in modern type for the purpose of clarity and legibility.

Users of the map will find it easy to locate the cities,, lakes, and rivers of Finland. Altogether 635 cities and towns are correctly named according to local usage, as are 330 lakes, and 60 rivers. Railroads and main highways are shown and there is a special inset map indicating the location of the principal industries of the country.

There is also a table of instructions on the pnonunciation and the meanings of Finnish names, and a key map of Europe showing Finland in relation to the rest of the European continent. Likewise parts of countries bordering on Finland and contiguous waters appear on the main map, including that section of Russia mentioned most frequently in Finnish war developments.

One of the most unusual features of the map is a special text of 2500 words entitled "Facts About Finland," prepared by Professor John W. Wuorinen of Columbia University and illustrated by nine drawings in four colors. The text is based on a book about Finland written by Professor Wuorinen which is soon to be published.

"Facts About Finland" include an explanation of the country's geographic situation, its people, its history before 1914, its population, farming, industry, political trends, the cooperative movement, financial developments, education, foreign relations, and its social legislation.

It is quite apparent that the makers of this map have achieved their purpose, to provide the American people with a complete, useful and yet concise instrument for informing themselves about Finland and following readily, the day by day events in the hostilities which receive so much attention in the daily press.

New Store Building Project Is Planned; Will Cost $105,000

Nevada City is on the eve of a big building and business development if all plans now maturing for new business blocks and businesses and business facilities are realized. It is understood that these developments are coming as a result of a new day about to dawn when monitors begin tearing out the gold gravels of the Ridge and the debris flows in orderly fashion down into the huge dam at the Yuba Narrows, there to be impounded.

The man whose confidence in Nevada City is 100 per cent strong, and who sold the Armory hall for $8,000 for the firemen, is A. C. Presley, irrepressible optimist, who believes that Nevada City can and should win back the place it occupied during the roaring fifties, sixties and seventies.

Mr. Presley has been laboring mightily during the past six months on another and bigger building project, which yesterday he said is now ready for announcement.

On the ground where now stands the New York Hotel and the house owned by Miss Watson of the Nevada City Sanitarium, bounded by Broad York, and Commercial streets on the south, east and north and on the west by the city's property where the old fire house stands, plans have been drawn for two buildings with a spacious parking space between.

The plot upon which the two buildings will stand fronts York street from Broad to Commercial 140 feet. On Broad and Commercial the frontage is 225 feet each. The westerly boundary along the firehouse property is 125 feet long.

Roughly the land on which this new development is projected will cost $40,000 and the buildings, which are all a part of the same general plan, will cost $65,000. All buildings now standing on this plot will be torn down.

The building adjoining the fire house property will be used as a great modern market, Mr. Presley states that this will probably be occupied by one of the largest chain stores in California.

Stretching from Broad to Commercial street entrances on both streets is projected a parking space 62 feet wide and 125 feet long.

The building for which plans are drawn with fronts on Broad, York and Commercial streets, will contain 11 stores on the street, and upstairs, 15 offices. All the stores, Mr. Presley states, have already been spoken for and professional and business firms are ready to sign leases on five of the offices.

Both buildings are part of a general architectural and landscaping plan. Both will be in the Monterey Spanish style with balconies all around the upper stories. The building east of the parking space, will be built around a patio planted to lawn, and flowering shrubs, with a Spanish fountain in the center. The stores will all hove entrances both on the patio, which will be 46 feet square, and upon the streets.

The building is to be set back 8 feet from York street which will make that street four feet wider and will allow another four feet for a sidewalk. The roof will be of the broad old-style Spanish tiles.

Work on the new Purity building on the present Armory site is expected to start as soon as the will be a concrete, one-story structure with a big basement fronting on Spring street. Through the efforts of Mr. Presley Armory hall was sold this week by the fire department to a San Francisco firm which specializes in building stores and markets for the Purity. The price paid for this historic old hall was $8,000.

CONSERVATION IS TOPIC OF BAXTER TALK AT ROTARY

Ernest L. Baxter, fire dispatcher for the Tahoe National Forest, was the guest speaker at Rotary's luncheon at the National hotel yesterday. Art Innes was program chairman. The topic, in accord with the national observance this week, was "Conservation." Moving pictures were shown of the Mississippi from its beginnings in little mountain rills in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Georgia, South Carolina, Minnesota, Idaho and a dozen other states whose great streams feed into the giant Mississippi until its mighty flood sweeps into the Gulf of Mexico.

The work of Americans in leveling and destroying hundreds of thousands of acres of forest, the erosion and quick floods which have followed in the wake of this wholesale destruction, resulting in an annual runoff of 400 million tons of top soil every year into the Gulf of Mexico, were depicted with dramatic emphasis. The catastrophies of great floods, of impoverished soil which impoverishes the people, of the wastes of natural resources, were all vividly shown in this movie. The work of conservation, reforesting done by the Cvilian Conservation Corps, the great dams in the Tennessee Valley, to restrain the floods, and the rehabilitation of families thrown out of employment as a result of soil impoverishment, were revealed as the work now going forward to conserve the natural and human resources of the nation.

ZONE ORDINANCE DEADLOCK TO BE DECIDED BY VOTE

A deadlock in the city council last night over the proposed repeal of the zoning ordinance will result in carrying the issue to the people in an informal ballot conducted by local newspapers. A motion at the council meeting produced two affirmative and two negative votes with one undecided.

Bert Foreman, Steve Roberts and Charles Skewes appeared at the meeting to ask that the ordinance be repealed. A lively debate followed which ended in the deadlock and the decision to let the electorate decide the question. A special meeting will be held Wednesday night, March 13 to settle the question.

The ballot published below is to be filled out by property owners and returned to the city council.

The council passed a resolution ordering the sum of $250 be paid to the coordinating council for the recreation program fund.

The following bills were ordered paid.

GENERAL FUND

Nevada City Garage $41.12; Pop Johnson $125.00; H. S. Hallett

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BALLOT

Should the zoning ordinance of Nevada City defining certain districts as "residential" and "business" be repealed?

YES

NO

Name .....

Address .....

IMPORTANT: This ballot can be signed only by property owners. The name and address of each voter must be written in the allotted space for the ballot to be bona fide. A ballot box will be provided at the city hall.

RECKLESS DRIVER

Hilliard Breausheur was brought into the city court of Judge Miles Coughlin Wednesday afternoon on a reckless driving charge. The complaint was made by Chief of Police Garfield Robson. Judge Coughlin found him guilty and fined him $100 of 50 days in the county jail.

Gene Gregory, who is employed at the Knoxville quicksilver mine being operated near Montecello, Napa county, spent the past week end at home. He had to drive 125 miles out of his way to get to Nevada City, coming by way of Knights Landing.

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What! No Tomahtoes?

"You say tomahto, and I say tomayto." If it isn't already outlawed that song hit of a few years back probably will be banned from the air for sure now. For the House Ways and Means Committee at Washington ruled recently that the correct pronunciation is tomayto! Just one more case of governmental regimentation! And though it doesn't hurt our feelings a bit, some of those Harvard lads and Boston lassies probably never will be the same agaon.—Contributed.

A Dis-United States of America?

We hear a lot these days about "state trade barriers." Most of us don't bother much about them, though, because we have the feeling that state tariffs and use taxes and the rest don't bear down upon us very directly or very heavily.

Take the following case as an example of what might happen if this new type of state tax were carried to a logical—or rather, illogical—extreme:

A resident of New York State buys two cartons of cigarettes in New Jersey. He starts to drive through New York City on his way to his home, which is well outside the city limits. He is stopped by an inspector and brought into court charged with possessing cigarettes on which the city tax has not been paid.

But, he explains, he isn't planning to smoke the cigarettes in the city. He only comes there once a week, anyway, and besides that, one carton out of the two was for his wife.

Doesn't matter, the inspector maintains; the defendant might end up by smoking some of the cigarettes in New York City. Even if he doesn't there should be state tax stamps on them.

On that basis, the man is held for trial.

Fanciful, you say: these taxes will never be carried to that extreme. Well, as a matter of fact, the above story is a description of an actual case recently brought to court in New York City. And it points a warning finger to what may happen to the average citizen if the tendency of states to erect tax barriers against each other continues unabated.

Incidents like the above seem trivial in themselves. They shouldn't be dismissed from the mind as lightly as that, however. For they are storm signals, warning us of the coming of a time in the not-so-distant future when the states of this country, through foolishly erecting high tax barriers against the free flow of commerce, may change the proper name of this country from "the U. S. A." to the "Dis-united States of America."—Contributed.

Keeping An Eye On The Ball

Sometimes hubbub and colorful happenings, plus the mere passage of time, have a way of sweeping aside far more important issues. We have all of us, at one time or another, seen this state of affairs in operation.

This is likely to be the case with the National Labor Relations Act unless the individual citizen exercises very good judgment and "keeps his eye on the ball." For this reason, periodic reviews of the current status of the Act, and of the principal matters relating to it, are necessary from time to time.

Here, in essence, is the way these matters stand nowadays:

The Smith Committee appointed by the House of Representatives to investigate the National Labor Relations Board has just been granted $50,000 more to continue its investigations. Testimony before this Committee so far has revealed serious disagreement among Board members, evidences in a number of cases of bias on the part of its examiners, and most of all a need for clarification of the Wagner Act itself to insure fair play for all parties concerned.

Meanwhile, public opinion throughout the country, as shown in various surveys of public opinion, has been strongly in favor of either repealing or revising the Act.

Designed to bring harmony between employer and employee, the Wagner Act saw the inauguration of the bitterest period of industrial strife in this country's history. The public, as well as representatives of all groups in our economy, has registered its desire that the Act be amended to reduce this strife to a minimum. The Smith Committee, by its sound treatment of the whole matter, is pointing the way to these sensible changes.

It behooves the ordinary citizen, then, the man or woman who wants to see industry and the country firmly back on the road to progress, to follow the course of the Wagner Act with close attention. Only through this course, in this case as in all others, can America be sure that the public will is not ignored or thwarted.—Contributed.

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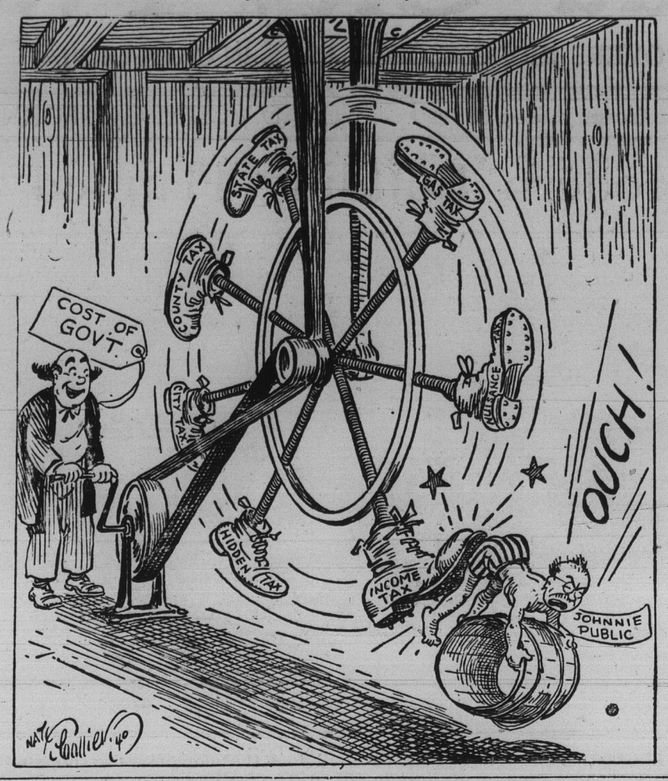

JUST WONDERIN'

I wonder about salesmanship—
Its value, I surmise,
We'll never under estimate
If we are truly wise;
Some say that salesmanship's a gift,
While others urge, "acquire it";
And those who watch its net results,
Most certainly desire it.

I wonder if one's progress along the rugged highway of success is measured by his talent for salesmanship. If this is the case, as indeed it seems to be, then the subject of salesmanship is one which deserves earnest and careful consideration.

We are all salesmen, though this fact is not always recognized: through the day, from morn till night, we are selling ourselves to every one with whom we come in contact. This selling of personality is contingent upon many things; general appearance, deportment, speech, voice—voice? There was the case of the telephone girl whose pleasant, well modulated voice so captivated a wealthy young bachelor that he in turn, sought her out and sold to her his plans and specifications for living happily for ever afterward. Yes, voices make a "differ."

Business and professional men and women, scientists, teachers, craftsmen, clerks and workers, all of these are salesmen and the degree of respect with which they regard their salesmanship, the earnestness with which they strive to improve themselves and their varied abilities, makes for success or ultimate failure.

A salesman, no matter what his classification, has at least three things to sell; the professional man must sell himself, his abilities and methods; the commercial salesman, himself, the firm he represents and the merchandise which he offers the prospective customer.

In order to become a successful salesman in any line, one must possess a sympathetic understanding of the desires and needs of others; he must at all times and under all circumstances exercise the fine arts of diplomacy, courtesy and patience; he must "know his line", and stand ready to discuss it with intelligence and enthuiasm. He must above all, keep the common touch and learn to walk carefully and gratiously among his human kind.

Salesmanship is not merely a method of selling peronality, service, ideas and merchandise; it should be regarded as a co-operative way of life, which makes ever increasing demands upon individual resourcefulness, efficiency and intelligence and creates higher concepts of those services which we are priviliged to render one to the other, or to the public at large.

Uncle Silas says: "When I start out in the morning, I just know I'm about to either sell myself or give myself away; not wishing to give myself away, I try to watch my step."

—A. MERRIAM CONNER.

STELLAR DUO IN POIGNANT TALE OF SHOPKEEPER

Ernst Lubitsch brings his favorite of all stories to the screen in "The Shop Around the Corner," starring Margaret Sullavan and James Stewart.

Because he was set on having Miss Sullavan and Stewart for the leading roles in his romantic comedy drama and they were not available when he signed to produce and direct for Metro-Golywn-Mayer, Lubitsch first directed Greta Garbo in the hilarious satirical comedy, "Ninotchka."

Then he turned his attention to "The Shop Around the Corner," which he personally purchased, a delightfully human narrative woven around the lives of a Budapest leather goods and novelty shop owner and his clerks, their everyday problems and how they solve them.

The colorful backgrounds and the gentle theme of the story presented many opportunities for the famed "Lubitsch touch" of which he took full advantage with a hand picked supporting cast, which includes Frank Morgan as the gruff but kindly shop owner, Joseph Schildkraut as the rascally clerk, Felix Bressart as the timid clerk, afraid of the boss, the butcher and the doctor, and Sara Haden, William Tracy, Inez Courtney, Sarah Edwards, Edwin Maxwell, Charles Halton and Charles Smith.

THINKING OUT LOUD

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invade Southern Russia in the Black Sea regions and that in all probability would be the beginning of the end of the war. Both Germany and Russia would then be fighting on two fronts and if the history of the World War means anything, that would spell defeat for Germany, if not Russia. Russia, on account of its huge population, estimated at 170,000,000, can take a tremendous amount of punishment without being defeated, but, reviewing history again, we find that Russia usually quits, when the pace gets too fast.

FOREST SERVICE MAKES SURVEYS OF SNOW DEPTHS

This week the Tahoe national forest is making snow surveys in conjunction with the state division of natural resources. Last Saturday Leland Smith, assistant forest supervisor, E. M. Stone, fire dispatcher, Rangers John Hodgson and Campbell went from Big Bend ranger station and south of Cisco into the Haypress Meadow district and measured snow depths. They found 108 inches of snow on the ground with a moisture content of 40 per cent.

On Wednesday Leland Smith and Ranger W. Delaney of Downieville district, made a trip to the Yuba Pass. Snow measurements there were 88 inches on the ground and it had a 43 per cent water content.

Today L. Smith, E. M. Stone and Ranger Campbell will go to Onion Creek which is between Soda Springs and the Cedars to survey snow and secure water content tests.

FIREMEN CALLED

The Nevada City fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Land on Adams street yesterday afternoon to extinguish a fire in an ice box. The motor burned out and smoked the home considerably.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Henry came up from Grass Valley Wednesday to visit with friends for a few hours. Mrs. Henry was on her way home from San Francisco where her husband spent three weeks in a hospital. Their son, Dan Henry, former Nevada City Safeway store manager, and wife who have been in San Francisco a year are enjoying their vacation. They left the first of the month and last news of them they were in Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Henry will return to Alta when the vacation is over. He is in the employ of the Bradley interests.

Phil Harding came down from the Oriental mine Monday and remained until Tuesday. He stated his son, John, who is attending University of California, had made another scholarship in his studies which will be pleasing news to his many friends in Nevada City.

Mrs. H. A. Curnow motored to Sacramento yesterday to meet her daughter, Miss Beth Curnow of San Francisco who phoned her parents she was ill with the flu and wished to come home. She will take a two week's vacation from her work.

Phone 36 FOR WANT ADS

STUDIO UPRIGHT PIANO, almost new, located here in the vicinity of Nevada City to be sold at Big Discount. Terms $6 monthly, will handle. For particulars write at once to G. Nichols, Adjuster, 301 Market St., San Francisco, Calif. 3-8-3tc

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NUGGET ADS PAY

NOT LOBDELL TRUCK

Robert Lobdell, trucking contractor, stated Tuesday contrary to the report in the Nugget it was not his truck that was struck by the mine bus recently. Jack Williams, who received a cut over his eye, is getting along nicely.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO LUMBER CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the City Council of Nevada City for furnishing 30,300 board feet of 3x12 by 18, No. 1 seasoned Douglas Fir or Oregon Pine lumber. All lumber to be treated with creosote under 12 pounds pressure and delivered F. O. B. Nevada City not later than April 1, 1940.

GEORGE H. CALANAN,
City Clerk.

Mar. 4, 8.

No. 4035
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARGARET E. HARDING, also known as M. E. HARDING, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Friday, the 15th day of March 1940, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, has been appointed by me as the time and place for proving the Will of said Margaret E. Harding, alias deceased, and for hearing the application of Anne C. Lang for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 4th, 1940.

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk.
R. E. DEEBLE, Deputy Clerk.

FRANK G. FINNEGAN,
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GENERAL LAND OFFICE, DISTRICT LAND OFFICE AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA. MINERAL APPLICATION NO. 032406

January 25, 1940

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN that T. B. ENGLISH, MARGARET J. COUGHLAN, and THE HEIRS OF MRS. C. J. ENGLISH, deceased, all of North Columbia, Nevada County, California, have made application for patent for a placer mining claim situate in the Columbia Hill Mining District, Nevada County, California, in the Northwest quarter of Section 4 and the Northeast quarter of Section 5, Township 17 North, Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, described as follows:

ROSE VALLEY PLACER CLAIM, consisting of Lot No. 4, of the Northwest quarter of Section 4, in Township 17 North, of Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and Lots 1 and 2 of Section 5, in Township 17 North, of Range 9 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, containing 54.80 acres, more or less.

That the lands adjoining on the North, South, East and West are patented.

That the location notice for the Rose Valley Placer Claim is recorded in Book "25" of Mining Claims, at page 492, Records of Nevada County, California.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GENERAL LAND OFFICE, M. A. No. 032400, DISTRICT LAND OFFICE, SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA, January 26, 1940. Notice is hereby given that Jerome C. Coughlan of North Columbia, California, has made application for patent for the Frandy-Black Placer Mining Claim in the Columbia Hill Mining District, Nevada County, California, described as follows: Lots 5, and 6, Sec. 4, T. 17 N., R. 9 E., M. D. M., California. That the lands adjoining on the North, South, East and West are patented. The location notice is recorded in Book "27" of Mining Claims, at page 3, Records of Nevada County, California.

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Important considerations are a reasonably central location, good daylight and accessibility to rear or side entrance for mails. Diagram of the rooms offered, showing inside dimensions, offsets, doors, windows, etc., and any adjoining ground for light areas, driveways, or parking areas, must be submitted with the proposal.

The post office reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to negotiate further with the proponents for better terms, and to endeavor either before or after the closing date to secure offers on suitable properties, in addition to those submitted in response to this announcement. Proponents may be required to show whether the property offered is mortgaged and to furnish a concurring agreement by the mortgage.

Proposals will be received in the office of post office inspector, W. B. Mouser, at San Francisco, California up to and including March 31, 1940. Detailed information will be also furnished by Inspector Mouser at his San Francisco address.

General building requirements, equipment specifications, and form of proposal, together with information concerning the provisions of the lease, may be obtained from the post master at Nevada City or from Inspector W. B. Mouser, San Francisco.

REWARD PLACER MINE

Herbert and Henry Paine of North Bloomfield were business visitors in Nevada City Tuesday. Herbert Paine stated that with his brother and another partner work had been going on at their Reward placer mine near North Bloomfield for two months, using runoff water from the winter storms. The ground sluicing was discontinued a week ago on account of the heavy rains but they resumed operations on Wednesday and will have water to last them for some time. The men worked hard all last summer shaping up the ground for the work.

W. E. Odum and wife, who have a gravel property near North San Juan, were Nevada City visitors Monday.

Schools to Observe Conservation Week

The Nevada City elementary school is planning appropriate exercises in line with the National Conservation week. Plans are being made for Arbor Day, soil conservation and yard beautification days. Among the plans are the showing of the films "The River," a tree planting ceremony, yard clean up, planting of shade vines on school fence, and a general assembly with a conservation speaker.

Jimmie Phelan, local miner, has entered the nearly completed Newmont company hospital in Nevada City for treatment of sinus trouble. **He is the first patient to be treated for an ailment not connected with** an injury in the mines.

T. B. SKIN TESTS FOR PUPILS IN CITY SCHOOLS

The Mantoux skin testing for tuberculosis will begin Monday, March 11 with the following schedules: Grass Valley high school (including elementary students) 9 a. m.; Nevada City high school 11 a. m.; Nevada City elementary school 11:30 a. m.; Union Hill (including You Bet, Bear River and Chicago Park) 1 p. m.; Forest Springs (including Mariposa, Lime Kiln and Wolf) 1:45 p. m.

The test will be given routinely to those in the first and eighth grades, but will include contacts, suspects and those who desire it, regardless of grade. This also includes adults. School children must have signed permission for the test from their guardian.

Students who have formerly had a negative reaction but have since had contact with tuberculosis should have another skin test at this time.

The Nevada County Tuberculosis Association is sponsoring this program consisting of the tuberculin test and an X-ray follow up for the positive reactors. This service has been offered to the school children for some years. Since X-rays are done routinely for those who formerly had positive reactions, the number of X-rays necessary this year will be considerable. The association derives its funds from the sale of the Christmas seals. The work has been done by interested volunteer workers so that the funds could be devoted to the projects at hand.

Coooperating with the association are the local physicians, health department and school departments.

The Public Health Nurses in the county will be in charge of the clinics; Mrs. Isabel Hefelfinger, Nevada City School Nuse; Miss Dallas Smith, Grass Valley School Nurse and Mrs. Marion Newberry, Nevada County School Nurse.

Clinics will also be held Monday, March 25 at North San Juan (including North Columbia, Sweetland, Birchville, French Corral and North Bloomfield) 9 a. m.; Rough and Ready (including Clear Creek, Kentucky Flat, Indian Springs, Spenceville, Pleasant Valley and Mooney Flat) 11 a. m.

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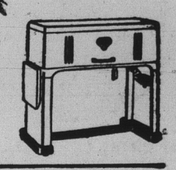

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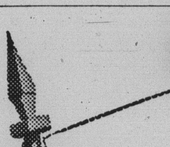

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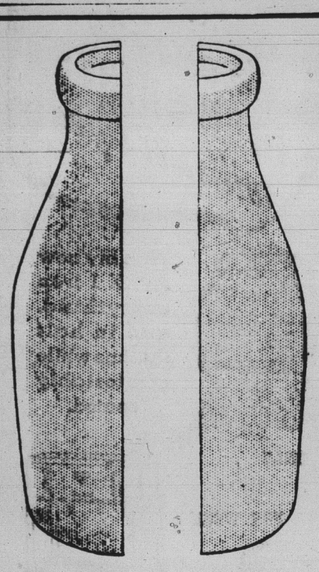
Mrs. B. J. Pollard, Gold Flat resident who went to Taft several weeks ago to recover from an illness, remains there and is feeling improved.



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Scout Rally Draws Crowd Of Thousand Spectators

The fourteenth Annual Rally of the Tahoe Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, drew over a thousand people last Saturday evening at the Roseville high school gymnasium. More than four hundred Scouts of all sections of the council made the trip to represent their troops and participate. Better than six hundred parents and friends of scouting gathered to witness and cheer the spectacle which was impressive in its presentation and thrilling in the competition of events.

Troop 12 of Loomis scored 605 points to capture first place for the eighth time in the thirteen years of competition for the Landis trophy which is presented annually by Judge J. B. Landis to the troop scoring the greatest number of points. This year's presentation was made by President Lowell L. Sparks and featured the introduction of Jack Landis on whose birthdate the cup was first presented 13 years ago. Jack has just become a scout on his twelfth birthday and was the holder of the cup for President Sparks.

Second place went to Roseville Troop 14 sponsored by the Lions club who scored five hundred and seventy five points.

Troop 24 Is Ninth

Third place went to Penryn Troop 9, Fourth to Roseville Troop 11, fifth to Auburn Troop 19, sixth to Grass Valley Troop 22, seventh to Roseville Troop 21, eighth to Grass Valley Troop 35, ninth to Nevada City Troop 24, tenth to Roseville Troop 1, eleventh to Auburn Troop 3, twelfth to Grass Valley Troop 4, thirteenth to Grass Valley Troop 32, and fourteenth to Grass Valley Troop Two.

The display of exhibits by the different troops was viewed with interest by the hundreds who passed along the "Scouting Trail" and saw the presentation of the different scouting tests in a most interesting and attractive manner. Roseville Troop 14 with an elaborate display of camping and pioneering merit badges was the center of attraction and captured first place in their field. Next in order with equally attractive exhibits were Troop 11 with bird study and nature study exhibits, Loomis Troop 12 with craft merit badges, Penryn Troop 9 with cooking tests, second and first class, Troop 19 of Auburn with first aid, siginfficance of the flag and uses of scout neckerchief, Troop 3 of Auburn with first aid test, oath and law and significance of the scout salute, sign, and handclasp, Troop 35 of Grass Valley in use of scout knots and life saving, Troop 22 of Grass Valley in rocks and minerals, swimming and rowing, Troop 21 with pace compass; Troop 1 of Roseville with radio and mechanical drawing; Troop 13 of Newcastle in a display of firemanship merit badge; Troop 4 of Grass Valley with cooking merit badge, Troop 24 of Nevada City, civics. Troop 32 of Grass Valley in significance of the scout badge, and Troop 2 Grass Valley in first aid and merit badge.

Scout Trail is Theme

The scout trail was the theme of the exhibit and the booths lined the trail showing the steps a scout must take in the order of his advancement.

The scout rally itself got under way at 8 p m. with the presentation of the living American flag in which more than three hundred scouts took part. As the scouts marched into the gymnasium to the strains of El Capitan March the lights were dimmed and when they were turned on again a huge American flag thirty by forty feet was presented to the audience on the backs of a hundred scouts while another two hundred scouts in uniform formed a border of kahki around the outside.

The next scene was the "Melting Pot of Scouting" in which groups of boys were presented at play before the coming of scouting. Into the gymnasium floor walked several uniformed scout leaders who gathered boys around them and started to walk toward a huge "melting pot" on the stage, into this pot went the leaders followed by the boys. A scoutmaster was next seen stirring the "melting pot" and smoke arose from the inside of it and then to the stirring music of God Bless America, uniformed scouts came out of the melting pot that is scouting.

Colors Presented

Officer of the day Robert Fowler of Troop 14 and Paul Abrahamson of Troop 14 led in the presentation of massed colors and the opening ceremonies. Warren Eich, scout commissioner, introduced the officials of the evening.

President Lowell Sparks assisted by members of the Knights of Dunamis presented the three scouts of Grass Valley Troop 35 with their Eagle badges. These scouts, Ralph Titus, Okley Patterson and Horace Bell were accompanied by their parents and scoutmaster Francis B. Hill to the platform where the charge was made by President Sparks.

The rally program was then started with Warren Eich as director and R. F. Brill as scorer. Eagle scouts as members of the Knights of Dunamis assisted as judges.

Following the contest, a dramatization of a tornado striking a small western town was given and the emergency action that was taken by a troop of scouts was portrayed by scouts of Troops 3, 19, 11, 22, 9, 1 and 14 under the leadership of scoutmaster Maury Witting, Earl Nelson and Charles Haydon directed the relief work with efficiency and skill so that first aid was adiministered, signaling units set up, radio set put into operation, cooking and fires were made, guards were posted and inside of twenty minutes the situation was well in hand with patients being cared for in the best possible manner. This actual happening was recorded in 1939 in the state of Missouri.

Awards to individual winners were presented by Senator J. L. Seawell who commented upon the rally and the story it told as being of utmost significance in this particular period of American history. Seawell said, "If any of you have doubt as to the future of this country, I hope you have been impressed as I have with the Boy Scouts of America here tonight and realize that our government is safe in their hands."

Closing ceremonies were led by Robert Fowler and taps was played by Paul Abrahamson.

SOIL EROSION TOPIC OF NEVADA COUNTY FARMERS

At Mt. Pleasant Hall at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening, March 12, there will be a public meeting of farmers who wish to discuss the soil erosion problem in grain fields, hay fields and orchards which are on slopes. Any such land that is bare or only partly covered with vegetation is subject to soil washing in the presence of rain or irrigation. This may go on for a generation before it is striking, and it may not be noticed until yields begin to fall off—and the next generation then suffers.

A group of farmers are interested in studying the problem in cooperation with H. E. Catlin, the farm advisor in Placer county. He will demonstrate at the meeting the formation of soils and will compare the thousands of years that it has taken to build them with the speed with which they are being destroyed. He will discuss the bearing that soil erosion has upon present and future farm income. He will propose that those farmers who wish it set a date upon which they all go together to their farms with him and a technician of the Soil Conservation Service to estimate what damage has already taken place to their soils if any.

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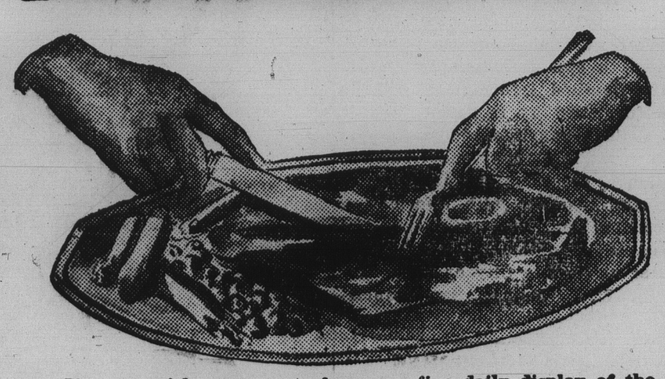

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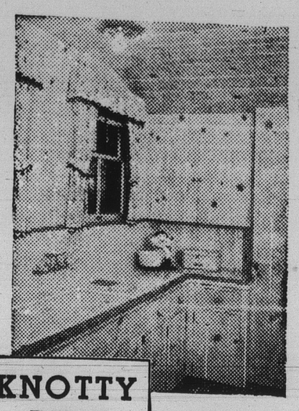

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SUCESSFUL ENTERPRISES

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In a plea for more members, Sofge said. "We need more members so that we can increase our field of advertising Nevada City and the mountain communities that trade here. We should have the active support of every progressive citizen in this community, and this can be done by joining with us in helping make our city more prosperous by bringing the thousands of prospective visitors who would come here if they only knew what a wonderful vacation land lies at our door."

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

The detailed financial report for the year ending March 1, 1940, follows:

There was a deficit of $149.23 March 1, 1939.

Expenses to San Francisco, broadcast) gas, eats. bridge toll, $15.00.

Barbecue expenses: Material for pit and merchandise for barbecue, $254.24. Receipts $172.50. Material for pit and merchandise for barbecue $253.24. Tax (amusement) $13. Total cost $266.24. Receipts $172.-50. Deficit $84.74.

Dance receipts (November) Ticket sales prior to dance $20.60. Dance $102.60. Cash at door $102.60. Hot dog sales $20.35. Receipts from dance ads $146.50. Total $290.05.

Dance expenses $196.32. Profit, $93.73. Less piano tuning and repairing $8.00. Balance $85.73.

Respectfully submitted

H. F. SOFGE, Secretary.

Dick Wilson, from the experiment station at Berkeley, is spending a few days in Nevada City to confer with the Tahoe national forest headquarters.

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DEL MONTE APRICOTS 2 No. 2½ cans Whole Peeled	27c	SACRAMENTO PLUMS No. 1 tall can 2 for	11c
LINCOLN PEACHES 2 No. 2½ cans Halves	24c	SACRAMENTO SEEDLESS GRAPES No. 1 tall can 2 for	11c
DEL MONTE PEARS 2 No. 2½ cans	41c	LINCOLN PRUNES No. 1 tall can, 2 for	11c
DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE No. 2½ cans Sliced or Crushed	20c	DEL MONTE CORN, Golden Bantam No. 2 can 2 for	25c
DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE No. 1½ cans Sliced or Crushed	10c	DEL MONTE CORN Country Gentleman No. 2 cans 2 for	25c
DEL MONTE PUMPKIN No. 2½ can	10c	DEL MONTE PEAS No. 2 cans 2 for	27c
		DEL MONTE STRING BEANS No. 2, 2 cans for	27c
		VAL VITA SPINACH No. 2½ can	10c

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Avalon, Wings, Sensation, Dominos, per carton 95c
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All six for 25c
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Velvet, Prince Albert, 1 pound can 75c

CHURCHES

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Passion Sunday: 8:30 a. m. Holy communion. 10 a. m. Church school. 11 a. m. Morning prayer and address. The rector will address the congregation upon "The World Outlook of the Christ." The vested choir will be directed by Mrs. Marian Libbey; Mrs. Grace Raymond will be at the organ. 4:00 p. m. Confirmation classes. Those interested in the information concerning confirmation will meet at the home of Mrs. Helen Sawyer, next to Trinity church this Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Wednesday evening: 7:30 Litany and address. The rector will preach upon "Health Comes Through Faith." The music will be led by the vested choir. Mrs. Marian Libbey will direct the choir. Miss Mary Libbey will be at the organ. 8:15 choir rehearsal. The special Easter music will be rehearsed at this time.

Friday evening: 8 p. m. Meeting of the vestry. The new vestry will meet for the first time. Plans will be laid for the future of the parish.

H. THOMAS PATEMAN, Rector.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT BETHANY CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. All are invited to Sunday school. Blanche Brounfield, superintendent. Plan to attend. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon will be preached by the pastor, R. Carrington. Christ Ambassador service at 6:30 p. m. This is the young peoples own service. All young folk are invited. Evening evangelistic service 7:30 p. m. The old fashioned gospel is preached at Bethany. Wednesday praise and prayer service at 7:30 p. m. Friday evening choir practice at 7:30 p. m. The soul needs food too.

METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Ray Murchie, superintendent. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Vocal solo, "The Good Shepherd" by Miss Margaret Weyer of Modesto. Mrs. Radu will be the accompanist. Sermon, A Lenten sermon "Christ and the Burning Heart, pastor. The public is cordially invited. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Phil Angove, president will be the leader.

Sacred concert by the Orphic Male Octet of Sacramento. Hymn: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," congregation. Evening prayer, pastor. Octet "The Rose of Sharon," Dr. Gordon Rodda and chorus. Octet: (a) "Come Ye Disconsolate." (b) "The Name of Jesus." Matthew Ridley and chorus. Octet: "The Lost Chord." R. McIvin Pottenger and chorus. Octet: "Seek Ye the Lord." Blair Manchester and chorus. Piano solo, Richard Weeks. Octet: (a) "Softly and Tenderly," (b) "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere. Messrs. Manchester, Cook, Petinger, Baker and chorus. Worship of God in the offering. Octet: "King All Glorious. Ralph Cook and chorus. Lenten narration. Dr. Rodda. Octet: "Open the Gates of the Temple." Octet: "God Bless America," By special request "The Stranger fo Galilee," Dr. G. S. Rodda. Benediction. Personnel of Orphic Male Octet. First tenors, Matthew Ridley, Blair Manchester. Second tenors, E. M, Evans, Ralph Cook. First bass, Dr. G. Rodda, R. M. Pottinger. Second bass: Willard Neilsen, Glazier Baker. Accompanist, Richard Weeks.

Week Events: Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Bible study and prayer hour. Read the 18th chapter of John's Gospel and let us study together Tuesday evening. Ladies Aid Society Wednesday at 2 p. m. All members and friends are cordially invited. Trustees and the committees are requested to be present Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. There are very important matters to come up with reference to the proposed church building improvements. Plan to be present. The choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Easter will soon be here and we need to get in all the practice we can, so that we may have great singing Easter Sunday morning and then the great Easter cantata Sunday evening. Bible study and prayer hour by the young people of the church Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. All young poeple are invited.

DRAMATIC PROGRAM

Evangeline Chapter, O. E. S. enjoyed a most delightful entertainment program given by Miss Verna Greeley, high school teacher and her dramatics class, from Grass Valley. There were fifty present including four members and officers of Naomi Chapter of Sacramento. Refreshments were served. The chapter will have a class for initiation on Tuesday, March 19.

SCOUTS MEET AROUND BONFIRE

The scouts of Troop 24 enjoyed an outdoor meeting for the first time this year. An attempt was made to burn the bonfire of Christmas trees left over, but the trees were too damp to burn satisfactorily. They will be left however and an attempt will be made later. The boys are closing their paper drive and the papers will be collected early next week. Plans are being laid for camping trips to be given in April and an inter-patrol contest is on to determine the frist patrol to go. On Saturday, a troop hike of 14 miles will be taken for those boys who wish to pass their first class hike

The scouts of Troop 6 held a special meeting on Wednesday noon at Mr. Pratti's home. Plans were made for a Saturday outing leaving from the scout lodge at 10:30.

Both scout troops of the city are now filling with boys and well planned programs are the achievements being sought after by both. Both troops enjoyed a trip to the district rally at Roseville last Saturday.

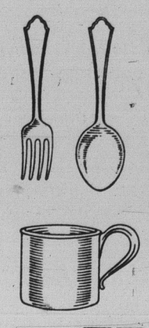
ARMY ANNOUNCES NINTH CORPS AREA NEW ENLISTMENTS

The month of February was closed with a total of 1451 army enlistments credited to the eight-state Ninth Corps Area, of which 849 were original enlistments, it was announced today at headquarters Ninth Corps Area, Presidio, San Francisco.

The momentum of the recruiting efforts raised the enlisted strength of the army to its authorized 227,000 men early in the month, Major Charles C. Quigley, Corps Area Recruiting Officer said. However, a number of men were later accepted as replacements for both foreign and domestic service, and will continue to be accepted for organizations in which vacancies occur.

Frank Peterson returned to his home in Chicago Wednesday after a visit of several weeks with his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sofge in Willow Valley. He is in the employ of the U. S. Steel Corporation working on one of their big boats or cargo carriers on Lake Superior.

Happy Easter Gifts FOR LITTLE FOLKS



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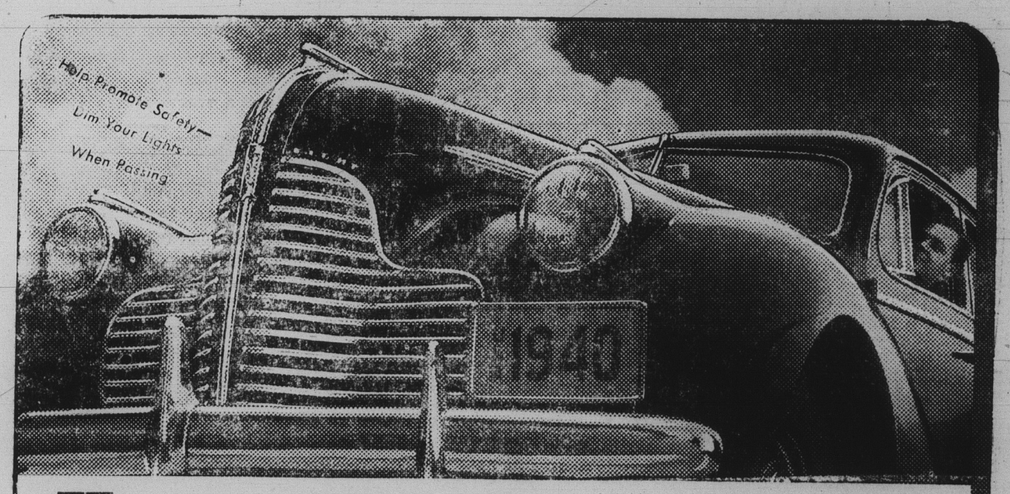

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MASS MEETING TO DECIDE JULY FOURTH PROGRAM

There will be a mass meeting of business, professional men and citizens in the National Hotel, next Tuesday evening, gathering there for the purpose of making arrangements for the Fourth of July celebration in Nevada City. Everyone is urged to attend. H. F. Sofge, secretary of the local chamber of commerce ask that all members of the Woman's Civic club, Business and Professional club and others interested in this subject to attend. He said the decision at this meeting will determine whether the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Fourth celebration.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION

Last Monday George Dahling, 27, and Mrs. Elizabeth Mervy, 42 made a marriage license application in the county clerk's office in Nevada City. Dahling stated he was head waiter at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco and Mrs. Mervy a registered nurse, is the widow of a former prominent San Francisco physician.

It is stated a large section of the wall built by WPA labor, toward the lower Grass Valley road and the Dan Treanor home, collapsed and fell into the Treanor yard with the last heavy storm.

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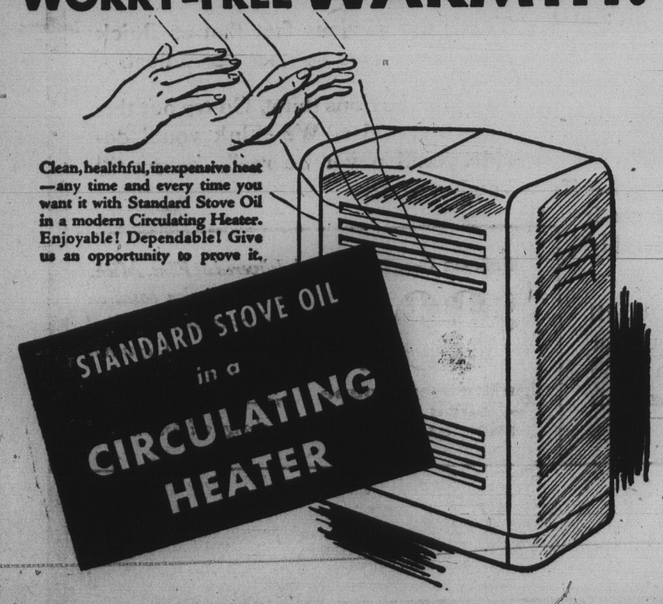

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Hawk Plummeting After Prey Dives Into Window of Ernest Carnes' Home

Ernest Carnes, Nevada City sign painter who resides on Coyote street had visions of burgars, a shot or large rock penetrating his home Monday when there was a loud crash and sound of breaking glass. Max Solaro was summoned hurriedly and Carnes started to investigate. He climbed up a ladder to the attic and noticed a double glass 18 by 20 inch pane more than half broken out. Glancing about he saw a small sparrow hawk perched on a beam in a dazed condition.

Seeing Mr. Carnes the hawk flew past his head ike a bullet, through the broken window and over toward trees across the stream near the Rector home. The hawk had plummeted down killing a small bird in a tree near the home and after striking it could not recover itself and went through the window.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

By BARBARA PHARISS

SHARPS AND FLATS

The Sharps and Flats called a meeting Tuesday to arrange for a dance on March 15. The club voted for a formal affair with "Easter Parade" as the theme. The mixed choruses will present a number of songs, after which dancing will follow.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics club met on Monday. The girls planned a formal dinner to be given on March 15, before the dance. Each girl will invite one guest.

The receipts of the dinner served to the C. S. F. convention were used to purchase some much needed dishes and equipment.

GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

The seniors met Monday afternoon to give orders for their graduation announcements. The orders were placed with Jane Bennett.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

The girls A and B basketball teams organized Wednesday after school. Captains were appointed and teams chosen. Games between the teams will soon start.

SENIOR FARCE CAST

The cast for the senior farce, "Meet the Duchess" has been selected. The cast is as follows: Dixie, Margaret Odegaard; Joy, Jane Bennett; Gaylord, Hobart Childers; Mrs. Muggles, Carol Merrill; Kewpie, Patricia Fiscus; Elsie, Pearl Strach; Mrs. Plop, Marilyn Chapman; Ronnie, Bill Rickard; Mary, Bernice Bankus; Dinsmore, Dick Pease; Strudel, Bill Wagner. Rehearsals began Tuesday, with Miss Ruiter in charge.

'JACKETS LOSE

The Nevada City Yellowjackets played at the San Juan high school at Fair Oaks Tuesday night, losing three games. The A team lost by a score of 53 to 21. the B team, 21 to 16, and the C team, 56 to 4.

The B contest was very close, but San Juan easily took the other two games. Childers was again high point man for the A's with 4 points. Spracklin, 3; Thomas, Joyal, Jacobs, 2. Mitchell also saw action. Smith high pointed for the B's with 4 points, Ronningen took honors for the C with two.

This game closed the basketball season for the current year. The A team won several practice games, but lost all their league games, although they displayed some good playing.

F. DAVIES SEEKS RE-ELECTION AS CITY COUNCILMAN

Frank Davies, one of three incumbent city councilmen whose terms expire this year, yesterday filed nomination papers as a candidate for re-election at the biennial election on Tuesday ,April 9.

Davies has been a council member for four years, serving on the street committee. Upon the record he has established in his incumbency he is asking the support of the electorate in his candidacy for re-election.

He is the third candidate to toss his hat in the ring to date. James Penrose, incumbent, and R. L. Bigelow, former supervisor of Tahoe national forest and former Nevada City water collector, are also candidates. C. W. Leiter, third incumbent whose term is about to expire, has not yet indicated his intentions.

DANIEL J. COUGHLAN CALLED YESTERDAY

Sorrow was expressed throughout Nevada City and county yesterday when it was learned that Daniel J. Coughlan had passed away at 9:30 o'clock. He has led an honorable, kindly life and his sterling character won for him friends wherever he was known. Mr. Coughlan was 71 years of age at time of passing. He was born at North Columbia and spent the early years of his life in that little city. He came to Nevada City and was employed at the old Champion mine a number of years, later operating the sawmill for the North Star mine in Grass Valley, retiring five years ago.

Left to mourn his passing are his devoted wife, Katherine Coughlan, son, Carroll Coughlan, brother, William Coughlan, and a number of cousins most of whom reside at North Columbia.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Eagles and Mine Workers Protective League.

The remains were moved to the Coughlan home yesterday afternoon by Holmes Funeral Home which has charge of funeral arrangements.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Saturday morning in St. Canice Catholic church with Rev. Fr. P. O'Reilly saying mass for the repose of his soul. Interment will be made in the Catholic cemetery on Lost Hill.

ZONE ORDINANCE

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$150.00; Sam Hooper $100.00; Garfield Robson $150.00 Geo. H. Calanan $20.00; Max Solaro $71.50; Dr. E. M. Roesner $40.00; Mrs. E. M. Foley $12.50; Miles P. Coughlin $12.50; Lin Davies $125.00; Eugene Blake $35.00; J. W. Shebley $42.31; W. G. Robson $4.01; Nev. City Lumber Co. $11.24; Max Solaro $3.90; General Petroleum Corporation of Calif. $3,90; Pacific Tel and Tel Co. $18.30; Bernard W. Hummelt M. D. $11.50; Union Publishing Co. $1.40; Sam Hooper $30.00; Sam Hooper $3.80; Gladding, McBean & Co. $8.62; Sacramento Pipe Co. $82.04; Glenn H. Cleland $10.84; W. S. Williamson $16.46; A. L. (Dick) Lane $35.67; R. E. Harris $7.68; Pacific Gas and Elec. Co. $268.83; Dickerman Drug Store $6.56; Alpha Stores Ltd. $226.13; E. Christenson $12.15; Plaza Garage $2.60; Nugget Nev. City $20.04; The Western Union Tel Co. 40c; Geo. H. Calanan $2.05; General Petroleum Corporation of Calif. $43.45; Clarks Garage $86.52; Richfield Service Station $4.01; Hemstreet & Bell $4.67; Diamond Match Co. $1,12; Geo. H. Calanan $13.55; Leroy Hoskin $81.56; Arthur Dow $20.00; Tom White $47.25; Nick Sandow $108.56; Ernest Young $109.68; Byron Landrigan $99.56; Ted Sigourney $109.68; Pac. Gas & Elect. Co. $10.44; Total $2.437.19.

FIRE FUND

The Gamewell $136.48; Max Solaro $51.50. Total $187.98.

RECEIPTS

To balance in Treasury $10172.82. To water collections $1965.20. To city marshal, licenses $559.00. To city marshal, taxes delinquent, $6.00. To city recorder, fines $40.00. To city assessor ,taxes $39.75. Penalties and costs, mescellaneous $1.48. Miscellaneous $39.15. Pac. Telephone and Tel. franchise $383.30. Miscellaneous $55.29. Total $3089.47—$13262,29.

DISBURSEMENTS

By warrants paid on general fund $3731.30. By warrants paid on fire fund $51.50. By warrants paid on library fund $162.40. By sewer bond paid $3945.20—$9317.09.

By balance in treasury $9317.09.

To balance in fire fund $731.04. To balance in library fund $1374.28½. To balance in general fund $7211.-76½.

Benefit Card Party for Rainbow Girls

The Order of Rainbow for Girls is to benefit from a card party scheduled for the evening of March 12 in the Masonic Temple. The order is sponsored in Nevada City by Evangeline Chapter, O. E. S. and members of the Chapter have planned the benefit to assist the girls in meeting certain organizational expenses. Mrs. Leland Smith is chairman of the committee in charge, and announces that some attractive prizes have been donated.

The Order of Rainbow for Girls was instituted in Nevada City in 1939, with Esther Joyal, then Worthy Matron of Evangeline Chapter, as Mother Advisor. Ruth Tamblyn, present Worthy Matron, states that in her opinion the project has been well worth while and has made a valuable contribution to the girlhood of Nevada City, by satisfying the desire in every girl's life for the beautiful and ceremonial and in promoting healthful associations and companionships. Thirty local girls are now members of the order, with Elizabeth Smith as Worthy Advisor.

Although the party is sponsored by members of Evangeline Chapter, Miss Tamblyn states that it is open to all friends of the Rainbow Girls who would like to help them.

Mrs. Estelle Fouyer of Sacramento spent some time in Nevada City Tuesday looking after her property interests on Boulder street.

Clifford Pooler has accepted a position with the Alpha Hardware Stores in Nevada City, filling the vacancy made by resignation of Cameron Larsen who passed the postal clerk civil service examination and is now city mail carrier. Pooler has been in the employ of the Tahoe national forest during the past.

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